

BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH.

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BRAINERD, MINN., TUESDAY, MAY 3, 1904.

PRICE TWO CENTS.

BANE'S GROCERY

3 packages Cero 25c
Fruit for..... 5c
Gloss starch per package..... 25c
10 bars of soap 20c
Y for..... 15c
Ankee Oats, per package..... 15c
Fresh Eggs per doz..... 15c

Fruits and Vegetables

Strawberries per box..... 18c
Cocoanuts each..... 5c
Pie plant per pound..... 10c
Radishes 3 bunches for..... 10c
Lettuce 3 bunches for..... 10c
Pineapples each..... 20c
Cucumbers each..... 15c
Tomatoes per pound..... 10c
Oranges per dozen..... 15c

Meat Market

California ham per pound..... 10c
Beef stew per pound..... 5c
Veal stew 3 pounds for..... 25c
Beef steak per pound..... 10c
Beef shoulder per pound..... 8c
Best home-made Sausage in Brainerd.

Wood Yard

Fine dry wood per load..... \$2.15

Union Grocery and Meat Market

E.C. Bane

Proprietor.

220 - 7th St.

Lecture by Mr. Cleveland.

Princeton, N. J., May 3.—Before one of the largest audiences ever assembled in Alexander hall, former President Cleveland delivered the Stanford Little lecture last night on "The Government in the Chicago Strike of 1894." Mr. Cleveland was greeted with enthusiastic applause. He defended the course of the government in the A. R. U. strike.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Henry Ehrman, founder of the banking firm bearing his name, died Monday of pneumonia at Panama.

Delegates to the Methodist general conference continue to arrive at Los Angeles, Cal., on every train.

King Victor Emmanuel entertained Rear Admiral Evans at dinner at the royal palace in Naples Monday night.

Henry H. Price, one of St. Paul's oldest settlers, is dead. He was a printer by trade and at one time set type for Horace Greeley in New York city.

Elwood won the Kentucky Derby, 1 1/4 miles, Monday in the presence of a large crowd at Louisville. Tierney was second and Brances third. Time, 2:08 1/2.

In a ten-round contest at London Monday night Jack Clancy of San Francisco defeated Peter Brown of Woolwich for the 144-pound championship and a purse of \$1,250.

Dominic Parthelli shot and killed Patrick Delukio at Pittsburgh Monday night in an Italian boardinghouse and made his escape. The murder followed an insulting remark by Delukio.

At Chicago, Jack Root of that city was given the decision over George Gardner of Lowell, Mass., at the end of six rounds Monday night. Gardner did not fight in good form and was badly beaten.

BASEBALL SCORES.

National League.
At Philadelphia, 6; Brooklyn, 3.
At Chicago, 8; Pittsburgh, 3.
At Boston, 6; New York, 2.
At Cincinnati, 8; St. Louis, 5.
American League.
At Detroit, 6; Cleveland, 2.
At New York, 5; Washington, 0.
At Boston, 6; Philadelphia, 3.
At St. Louis, 6; Chicago, 9.
American Association.
At Columbus, 8; Kansas City, 3.
At Indianapolis, 4; Minneapolis, 11.
At Toledo, 13; Milwaukee, 12.

JAPS AGAIN FAIL TO BLOCK HARBOR

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY DISPATCH.

St. Petersburg, May 3, 11:40.—It is officially reported that Vice Admiral Togo made another desperate attempt to block the entrance of Port Arthur last night, but failed. Viceroy Alexieff sent out a section of his fleet to meet the attack and sank eight fireships and two Japanese torpedo boats. The channel is reported clear.

INTEREST IS INTENSE

RUSSIANS GREATLY EXCITED OVER THE BIG BATTLE ON THE YALU RIVER.

WILD RUMORS CIRCULATING

FORCES OF THE CZAR SAID TO HAVE SUFFERED LOSS OF TWO THOUSAND.

Chefoo, May 3.—Fugitives from Dalny have arrived here who say that the railroad to that place has been destroyed and that the Russian garrison is preparing to evacuate Dalny.

St. Petersburg, May 3.—The interest of the public in the news of the fighting on the Yalu is at fever heat, especially since the last official report, which announced the fighting at Chingow was given out. To the general disappointment, no further telegrams from General Kuropatkin have been published by the war commission, nor will the censor pass press dispatches wired from the front.

The absence of news led to the circulation of wild rumors. For instance, it was reported that General Sassulitch would be relieved of his command and court-martialed for making a too strenuous stand on the right bank of the Yalu. As a matter of fact, while the war office is surprised at the resistance made by General Sassulitch, a telegram from General Kuropatkin to the emperor on April 26 announced that Sassulitch, in view of the preparations which the Japanese were making to cross the Yalu, had begun to reinforce his troops in Manchuria.

Another report says that the war office has been informed that the Russian casualties numbered 2,000. Should this be true it can be accepted as a certainty that the Russian plan of operation never contemplated such a sacrifice.

In view of the cautious advance of the Japanese it is not expected they will quickly follow up Sassulitch but will take a few days in getting the remainder of their troops and supplies across the river and in clearing the country of Russian detachments in order that their communications may not be exposed to attack.

TOO MANY JAP GUNS

REASON THAT RUSSIANS WERE UNABLE TO HOLD POSITIONS ON THE YALU RIVER.

St. Petersburg, May 3.—The Associated Press has obtained from the general staff an outline of the operations on the Yalu river during the past week. The Russian force, including the reserves, was composed of General Kashtalinsky's rifle division, General Mitchenko's Cossack outposts and a brigade of artillery, the whole under General Sassulitch.

Knowledge of geography is essential to a clear understanding. The Russian lines were at Kuliencheng (or Turencheng), opposite Wiju and Antung, both on the Fenghuangcheng road. A mile north of Kuliencheng lies the village of Potietinsky, near a tributary of the Litzavna, five miles up which is Chingow. On the opposite bank of the tributary is the village of Litzavna. Opposite Potietinsky stands Housan, with a dominating height. Still higher, on the right of the Yalu, is the village of Ambikhe, at the confluence of the Alpike. The whole course of the Yalu between Ambikhe and Antung is divided by islands, the largest, Somalinda, facing Kuliencheng. Another lies between Housan and Singlagow.

The Japanese forces, the staff believes, approximated 100,000 men, of which 4 divisions, 13 battalions and 56 guns were in action. They prepared for crossing the river by posting all their available guns, of which the Russians say the Japanese had five times more than they, along the line facing Kuliencheng and Antung, and also landed from their warships 4.7 guns.

Made Kuliencheng Untenable.

This array of artillery eventually made Kuliencheng untenable. Under cover of powerful batteries north of Singlagow, the Japanese crossed to Housan, occupying the height. As the latter position would have enabled them to direct a raking fire against the Russians at Kuliencheng, General Sassulitch ordered it to be retained. This was done, but on Saturday the Japanese, under cover of a battery, reoccupied it, the defenders falling back across the Litzavna and continuing the fight with the Japanese, who were attempting to flank them from Chingow.

The Russian forces at Antung and Kuliencheng had meanwhile retreated to its second line, a few miles westward. The whole Russian force engaged Sunday formed a semi-circle, the horns of which were being gradually drawn in preparatory to retiring to a position further west. This was the situation when the last Russian official reports were sent.

A member of the staff informed the correspondent of the Associated Press that the issue ultimately turned probably upon whether the order to withdraw was given at the proper time. A slight delay at a critical moment might have enabled the enemy's vastly superior artillery to concentrate on the Russian guns, killing horses and gunners and compelling the abandonment of the guns. But if so, the Russian plans will not be changed by accidental losses. General Sassulitch would continue his retreat, contesting stubbornly a possible Japanese advance along the Fenghuangcheng road, which runs through a hilly country, crowned with heights and exactly suited to Russian tactics.

KUROPATKIN SATISFIED.

Crossing of the Yalu by Japs Is to His Liking.

Paris, May 3.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Echo de Paris says that a high officer of the general staff made the following statement to him:

"General Kuropatkin has telegraphed the emperor expressing satisfaction that the Japanese have crossed the Yalu, because this lengthens their line of operations, whereas the Russians are approaching their base."

"General Kuropatkin will probably allow General Kuroki's 20,000 men to advance and attempt the siege of Port Arthur, but Generals Smynoff and Stoessel are disposing of the 35,000 men under their command so as not to allow the Japanese to reach that place."

"It is supposed that a battle for the defense of the entrance to the Kwantung peninsula is imminent."

"General Kuropatkin can send troops to Yinkow or Port Arthur within twenty-four hours if he thinks it desirable to attack the Japanese in the rear."

"The fighting so far has consisted of mere skirmishes and there have been no serious battles. We are convinced that the Japanese will do their utmost to immediately make things warm, but General Kuropatkin will not assume the offensive before the end of May or the middle of June, when he will have the 500,000 men he asked for."

JAPANESE REPULSED

RETREAT TO GENSAN AFTER BATTLE IN WHICH BOTH SIDES LOSE HEAVILY.

London, May 3.—An unconfirmed report of severe fighting between 3,000 Russians and a similar number of Japanese at Gensan is sent by the Standard's St. Petersburg correspondent, who says the Japanese were compelled to retire into Gensan, both sides losing heavily. Two Russian officers are said to have been among the wounded.

PRAISE FOR THE JAPANESE.

Britons Rejoice Over the Success of Their Ally.

London, May 3.—The latest dispatches received here confirming the completeness of the Japanese victory on the Yalu could hardly have given greater satisfaction in Tokyo than they have done in London. The editorials in the morning papers ring with admiration at the success of General Kuroki's strategy, in a manner indicating that Great Britain had been in considerable doubt of the capacity of her ally's troops when matched against the Russians, and despite the

lack by Japan of good cavalry to follow up her victory, it is believed that she will speedily drive the Russians out of Fenghuangcheng also.

Few further details have yet been received, but it seems that the Japanese imperial guards fought with conspicuous bravery and sustained the brunt of the fighting, losing heavily. Some accounts speak of bayonet charges.

It is evident that the Japanese success is largely due to the superiority of their artillery, the Russian guns being too light.

The Japanese victory has caused complete surprise in the European capitals and is expected to lead to difficulty in Russia's efforts to raise a loan.

RUSSIAN LOSSES ENORMOUS. Put Up a Stubborn Resistance to the Japanese.

Tokio, May 3.—A further report received here from Chintiencheng stated that a bombardment had begun at dawn Sunday and that the Japanese artillery had silenced the strong Russian forts by 7 o'clock. Then their infantry occupied the elevated land around Choson. The Japanese line was extended for four miles, and by 8:20 a. m. they had destroyed seven forts and seized eight guns despite the Russians' stubborn resistance.

As soon as Chintiencheng was entered the Japanese who were pursuing the enemy, charged their artillery and captured twenty guns, while a large number of Russians, including ten officers, were taken prisoners.

The Russian casualties are described as enormous. Their commander-in-chief and other generals are reported to have been wounded. The Japanese lost about 500 killed and wounded.

KUROPATKIN IS ANXIOUS.

Whereabouts of Second Jap Army Troubles Russian General.

London, May 3.—General Kuropatkin's anxiety of the Japanese Second army the Morning Post's Shanghai correspondent says that all the Russian troops stationed in Changchun, Fochow, Haicheng, Kaifeng and other places have been dispatched along for seacoast to ward off a Japanese landing.

OVER THE ENTIRE STATE.

Heavy Storm Damages Property in Colorado.

Denver, May 3.—A heavy storm, consisting of rain on the plains and snow in the mountains, prevailed over nearly the entire state Monday. Much damage to railroad property and delay by washouts has occurred. No accidents are reported, however. Hail and high winds in certain sections played havoc with orchards and gardens. The moisture will prove of incalculable value to the ranges and agricultural section as well as for furnishing water for mining.

Edgar Fawcett Dead.

London, May 3.—Edgar Fawcett, the American author, died here Monday after being unconscious for several days. Death was caused by an internal disorder, which has not yet been diagnosed. Mr. Fawcett was born in New York in 1847.

SAVES HER SIX CHILDREN.

Farmer's Wife Near Duluth Takes Them Out of Burning House.

Duluth, May 3.—Mrs. Alexander Ericson, wife of a farmer residing six miles from Duluth, rescued her six children from death in a fire, which destroyed their home at an early hour in the morning.

Mr. Ericson had come into Duluth to make some purchases and during his absence his wife went out to the barn to care for the stock. While milking the cows she saw smoke and flames issuing from the house and hastened thither, only to find it impossible to effect an entrance except through a rear window. Her children are all small and range from one year to ten. They were panicked and it was with the greatest difficulty that Mrs. Ericson crawled through the window and rescued them, one by one. When the last child was removed Mrs. Ericson was nearly overcome by exhaustion and fright. The house and all the family possessions were swept away.

Miss Edith Sutherland Dead.

Washington, May 3.—Miss Edith Sutherland, thirty-two years old, eldest daughter of the late Surgeon General Charles Sutherland of the army, is dead here from the effects of landmin poisoning. Since the death of her father eight years ago Miss Sutherland had helped support the family, but her health failed and for several years she suffered from severe spells of despondency.

Deficit for Month of April.

Washington, May 3.—The monthly comparative statement of the government receipts and expenditures shows that for the month of April, 1904, the total receipts were \$41,529,421 and the expenditures \$47,919,264, a deficit for the month of \$6,389,843. For April, 1903, there was a surplus of \$1,662,256.

Cannot Be Extradited.

Washington, May 3.—The United States supreme court has affirmed the decision of the United States circuit court releasing Thomas Walsh, alias Lynchehaun, the Irishman arrested in Indiana and for whom extradition was sought by the British authorities. Lynchehaun was charged with murder.

D. M. Clark & Co., oldest and largest installment house in the city. Goods sold on easy terms.

CHINA NOW WAVERING

TARTAR GENERALS URGE GOVERNMENT TO RESIST RUSSIAN AGGRESSION.

DEMONSTRATION PROBABLE

VICEROY YUAN SHI KAI IS SECRETLY MAKING WARLIKE PREPARATIONS.

London, May 3.—According to the Shanhaikwan correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, evidence is accumulating that China's neutrality is tottering. The Tartar generals in Kurin-fengting, the correspondent says, are urging the Peking government to adopt a strong policy against Russian aggression west of the Liao river. It is said that Viceroy Yuan Shi Kai is secretly making warlike preparations and everything, in the opinion of the correspondent, points toward China making a military demonstration against either belligerent fighting west of the Liao river.

A special dispatch from Port Arthur says that about 100 Chinese junks were observed on the horizon Monday between the mouth of the Yalu and the Liaotung peninsula.

London, May 3.—The Standard's Tientsin correspondent, cabling under date of May 2, states that Viceroy Alexieff has sent a lengthy dispatch to General Ma, commanding the Chinese troops, informing him that the occasion may arise for Russia to increase her forces in Shantung, Chienyang and other places and requesting him to withdraw the Chinese military and police. An answer, the correspondent says, is required within three days.

RELIEVED OF RESPONSIBILITY.

Officers and Men of Battleship Missouri Also Commended.

Washington, May 3.—That no further proceedings be taken is the recommendation of the court of inquiry appointed to investigate the explosion in the after turret of the Missouri on April 13. The court finds the explosion was due to a "flare back" caused by an inexplicable combination of oxygen with certain usually latent gases in smokeless powder. The officers and crew of the Missouri not only are relieved from all responsibility for the accident but are warmly commended for the bravery they showed after its occurrence in rescuing the victims.

It was brought out in the evidence submitted to the court that there was not an extraordinary amount of powder in the handling room nor were there more officers and men in the turret or handling room than were necessary for record target practice. Among the witnesses who testified before the court were the two men who jumped into the magazine room and closed the door after them as soon as they saw the flame, and one of the two survivors in the handling room. The other survivor was unable to leave the hospital so the court took his testimony at his bedside.

STOCK YARDS ON FIRE.

Indianapolis Concerns Sustain Losses Aggregating \$250,000.

Indianapolis, May 3.—Fire at the Union Stock yards last night burned two carloads of cattle and almost totally destroyed thirty acres of livestock sheds and pens, entailing a loss estimated at \$250,000 to the Belt Railroad and Union Stock yards company. Owing to the isolated situation of the sheds and pens, the manufacturing and packing plants were at no time endangered, although a high wind increased the difficulty in getting the flames under control. The origin of the fire is unknown.

At 2 o'clock the fire again got beyond control. It is believed that the entire forty acres of sheds will be destroyed. A hotel near the sheds is in danger.

VICTORY FOR W. R. HEARST.

Carter Harrison Defeated at Cook County (Ill.) Primaries.

Chicago, May 3.—In the Democratic primaries held Monday the followers of William K. Hearst scored a victory over the faction under Carter H. Harrison, which has heretofore been the dominant power in the Democratic party in Cook county.

Of the delegates to the state convention the Hearst party secured 227, Harrison 195; ten were instructed for John P. Hopkins, which means they will not be for Harrison under any circumstances, and 64 uninstructed.

MONEY GOES TO POOR.

Court Upholds Will of Mrs. Wilder of St. Paul.

St. Paul, May 3.—Judge Bunn of the Ramsey county district court has given his opinion that the charitable trust "for the worthy poor," contained in the will of Mrs. Fanny S. Wilder, the widow of Amherst H. Wilder, is good and valid and denied the petition of Mrs. Wilder's nephews and nieces to become parties to the suit of Watkins and others against Bigelow and others, the action brought to obtain the construction and instruction of the court on certain parts of Mr. Wilder's will.

An estate worth several millions of dollars is involved in the decision.

AMENDS HIS DECISION.

Chancellor Allison Will Not Appoint Receiver for Telephone Company.

Nashville, Tenn., May 3.—After ordering that the Cumberland Telephone and Telephone company be placed in the hands of a receiver and ousted from the state, Chancellor Allison later amended his decision, saying that for satisfactory reasons he would decline to appoint a receiver. The reason actuating the chancellor's change are that the company is a Kentucky corporation and, therefore, if proceeded against outside that state, suit must be brought in the federal courts. The present suit was brought through the state of Tennessee by relation and at the instance of the Independent Telephone company of Columbia, Ky., its object was to have declared a forfeiture of the charter of the defendant company upon allegations that the latter had violated statutes in attempting to suppress competition. The telephone company entered an appeal to the supreme court on the outer proceedings. This stay the order of expulsion.

TRAVELED FIVE MILES.

Then Dr. Gerth's Airship Was Compelled to Descend.

San Francisco, May 3.—Dr. Gerth Monday tried to make a trip to San Jose in his airship, but after traveling about five miles some slight disarrangement of the machinery was discovered and the aerial voyagers were forced to make a landing. He was accompanied by Engineer Frederick Belcher. Dr. Gerth was satisfied with the results of this experimental flight because he accomplished a good deal more than on former occasions, and from it concluded that he is working in the right direction.

The airship was brought to the ground easily and without any damage other than that to a valve which caused the stoppage of the ship's flight.

MANY PERSONS HURT

GREAT NORTHERN PASSENGER TRAIN WRECKED NEAR SHEVLIN, MINN.

Remidji, Minn., May 3.—Great Northern Passenger train No. 13, westbound, was wrecked one and one-half miles west of Shevlin at 3:35 p. m. Monday. The track crosses the Clearwater at this point and the bridge was on fire. The engine and entire train, except the buffet and dining car, which was the rear coach, crossed safely, but the heat from the burning bridge caused the explosion of an acetylene gas tank used for lighting and set the car on fire and a terrific explosion ensued.

The engineer and firemen jumped before the train crossed the bridge and were severely injured, the firemen perhaps fatally. Among the passengers in the buffet car injured are L. M. Richards, Remidji; J. L. Spencer, Grand Forks; George Ralph, Crookston; W. S. Lyeon, Crookston; Mr. Kent, Grand Forks.

The bridge was also totally destroyed, and all traffic on the Grand Forks-Duluth line is tied up. H. R. McDonald, wife and niece of Kelliher, were badly hurt.

A number of passengers received minor injuries, being cut by glass while escaping from the burning coach. There were only a few passengers in the car at the time of the accident, the dinner hour being over.

Brown Will Not Be Executed.

Kansas City, Mo., May 3.—James Brown, the Hawaiian under sentence to be hanged at Independence, Mo., Friday for the murder of his stepdaughter in 1899, will not be executed, Governor Dockery having commuted his sentence to life imprisonment.

WORKMEN LOCKED OUT.

Two Thousand Santa Fe Machinists at Topeka, Kan., Barred.

Topeka, Kan., May 3.—When the 2,000 Santa Fe machinists and workmen gathered at the big railway shops in this city to go to work they found the gates locked. The entire plot of ground of twenty-five acres is surrounded with a high oak board fence with few gates. These gates were locked and the men were told by armed guards that there was "nothing doing."

The Santa Fe officials asserted that they were simply anticipating a strike. They said information had come to them that the men had held a secret meeting and decided upon a strike.

At the general offices of the railway here it was stated that the order to close down was given to every shop town on the Santa Fe system from Chicago to Albuquerque. It is estimated that nearly 10,000 men are affected.

KILLS HIS HOUSEKEEPER.

Ex-Policeman Then Shoots Himself Dead at Lincoln, Neb.

Lincoln, Neb., May 3.—George Henry, forty-six years old, until last Saturday a member of the Lincoln police force, last evening followed May Young, his housekeeper, into a grocery store and shot her dead. He then shot himself with the same weapon, falling dead beside the woman. In fatuation for the woman, who it is said refused to marry him, is the only known cause for the tragedy. Henry was a widower and leaves three children.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One Week.....Ten Cents
One Month.....Forty Cents
One Year.....Four Dollars

TUESDAY, MAY 3, 1904.

Weather

Forecast—Fair and warmer.
Temperature (Record kept by Dr. J. L. Camp from 7 a. m. yesterday morning to 7 p. m. this morning)—Maximum 76 above zero; minimum 41 above zero.



The Collins tidal wave has not reached that degree of greatness most desired by Manager Martin.

If the city will enforce the cleaning of alleys to the strict letter it will have accomplished something in the way of cleanliness. And it is a matter that should be attended to at once.

SENATOR GORMAN picks Charlie Towne to lead the democrats declaring that the Parker boom reached the climax at the Albany convention. Towne manages to keep before the public in a more enviable light than his friend Bryan.

In New York city the system that insists that only unmarried women shall teach in the schools has been abandoned and in the future lady school teachers may marry without danger of losing their positions. This will possibly have a tendency to strengthen the matrimonial market.

ENTITLED TO A SECOND TERM.

Elk River Star News: Col. Foster, of Litchfield is again after Buckman's scalp and will try for the congressional nomination in this district. Nobody in particular seems to be demanding Col. Foster to become a candidate, but he evidently wants to go to congress very bad and has practically been making a campaign for the two years past. The Star News supported Col. Foster in the pri-

maries two years ago, but was greatly disappointed in his weakness in letting the nomination slip through his fingers. Furthermore Congressman Buckman has exceeded the expectations of his best friends as a congressman; has made a good record; looked after the interests of his constituency in an energetic and satisfactory manner, and in consequence is entitled to a second term. This seems to be the general sentiment throughout the district.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

C. H. Mills went to Aitkin this afternoon on business.

S. G. Stewart expects to go to Little Falls this evening.

P. J. McKeon came down from the north this morning.

E. Watson left for the twin cities this afternoon on business.

Alfred Peterson has taken a position as clerk with J. Biever.

The Elks will give a dancing party on Friday evening, May 13.

Messrs. Orne and Wright left for Aitkin this afternoon on business.

Dr. Stuart is expected home from his western trip tomorrow.

Presiding Elder Clemens came in from the east this afternoon.

Surveyor R. K. Whiteley left for Aitkin this afternoon on business.

F. W. Ford, of Motley, was in the city on business yesterday afternoon.

Miss Washburn returned this afternoon to her home at Monticello.

Andrew Hoving, of Deerwood, was in the city this afternoon on business.

Mrs. McCarvel, of Deerwood, was in the city for a brief visit this afternoon.

J. S. DeForest arrived in the city this afternoon from Milbank, S. D., for a visit.

The "Piano Quartette" will present a novel and attractive program on the evening of May 16.

Mrs. Frank Polk returned this noon from LaPorte where she has been visiting with her husband.

C. F. Anderson returned this afternoon from Wadena where he has been visiting for a short time.

Col. Potter, of Aitkin, passed through the city this afternoon en route to his home from a pleasant trip south.

James O'Keefe, of Swan River, is visiting in the city with old friends.

Miss Fines Bennett left this afternoon for Deerwood where she will teach school.

Mrs. Bush arrived from the north this noon for a visit with her daughter, Miss Genevieve Bush.

W. H. Cleary left for Aitkin this afternoon in the interest of the Brainerd Grocery company.

Peter Murphy arrived in the city this afternoon from the south for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mrs. Ratten, who has been visiting at the Stillings home for some time, left today for New York for a visit.

Mrs. R. A. Beise left this afternoon for Sauk Centre for a visit with her parents. Her mother is still very poorly.

There will be a meeting tonight of the Royal Arcanum. There will be initiation and a large attendance is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Trent and family left this afternoon for Alexandria where Mr. Trent will manage a hotel this summer.

Mrs. Chas. Peabody left this afternoon for Janesville, Minn., called there on account of the serious illness of Mr. Peabody's mother.

Robert Johnson, the popular clerk at J. F. Murphy & Co.'s, returned from St. Paul this afternoon where he has been visiting for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Griffith and Miss Griffith returned to their home in Aitkin this afternoon after a visit in the city with Mrs. Peter McGee.

Mrs. T. J. Andrews, of Bemidji, who was operated on yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph's hospital, is getting along as well as can be expected today.

Rev. Edwards, of Little Falls, will lecture under the auspices of the Swedish Methodist church tonight, at the People's church on the subject, "Open Door in Japan."

J. C. Hessel left this afternoon for Germany where he will visit for a short time. This is his first trip to his old home in thirty-five years and he will doubtless enjoy it very much.

L. H. Paine, who is employed in the Swartz drug store, has taken the examination and has passed and is now a full fledged pharmacist. Lee's many friends extend congratulations.

The ladies auxiliary of the A. O. H. will give a dancing party tomorrow night in the Elk hall. These dances are very interesting affairs and there will doubtless be a large attendance.

John Gilmer returned this morning from Elkton, S. D., where he has been for a week. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Welch and Mr. Gilmer were called there on account of the serious illness of Mr. Welch's father.

A. E. Torebio, the popular knight of the grip, was in the city this morning and meeting a young lady acquaintance he loosened to the amount of two seats for the Bachelor Maids performance, and has decided to remain over to see the show.

Bad blood and indigestion are deadly enemies to good health. Burdock Blood Bitters destroys them.

NEW HOTEL AT BEMIDJI

J. M. Markham Said to Have Decided on a Plan--Will be Modern and up-to-

Date Hotel

J. M. Markham, of Bemidji, formerly proprietor of the Markham hotel of that city, has about completed arrangements to build a solid brick hotel at Bemidji. It is given out that it will be an 83 room house 75x100 feet and modern in every particular.

George Allen is now conveniently located in the basement under Dunn's drug store in the First National bank block and he will be glad to see all his old friends again. First class shoe repairing and custom work on shortest notice. 284tf

Terrible plagues, those itching, pestering diseases of the skin. Put an end to misery. Doan's Ointment cures. At any drug store.

SHOOTS HIS SWEETHEART.

Cincinnati Man Then Tries to End His Own Life.

Cincinnati, May 3.—At Vine and Canal streets last night Oscar Saeger shot and killed Martha Guertner and then shot himself. He is not expected to live. The couple were lovers, but had frequent quarrels and the shooting took place when Miss Guertner told Saeger that she was going Thursday to New York to live.

A body builder, strength producer, checks and repairs wasted tissues, invigorates the stomach, kidneys and liver. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents, tea or tablet form. H. P. Dunn & Co.

"Neglected colds make fat graveyards." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup helps men and women to a happy, vigorous old age.

THE DAILY DISPATCH brought to your door for only 40 cents per month.

A little life may be sacrificed to a sudden attack of croup, if you don't have Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil on hand for the emergency.

NEW INSTRUCTOR WAS EMPLOYED

Prof. J. H. Santee. Graduate of Minnesota University, Will Teach Science Here

MEETING OF BOARD LAST NIGHT

Report of Treasurer Werner Hemstead is Received--New Bonds Are Brought Up

There was a meeting of the board of education last night at the Washington school building, and considerable business of a routine character was brought up.

The teachers' committee reported having engaged a gentleman by the name of Prof. J. H. Santee to succeed Prof. Rowe as science teacher in the city schools. He is a graduate of the University of Minnesota and is now the science teacher in the city schools of Hastings. His salary is fixed at \$80 per month.

The purchasing committee was instructed to advertise for bids for various fire apparatus and also hose and to report at the next meeting.

The reports of Supt. Hartley and the text book clerk were received and filed. Supt. Hartley was given permission to purchase the diplomas to be used for the graduation class this year.

On motion the matter of grading the grounds of the Washington school building was left in the hands of the building committee.

The financial report of Treasurer Hemstead, given below, was approved as read:

RECEIPTS.	
Feb. 1 Bal.....	\$ 7645 56
" Sale of text books.....	310 00
" Sale of old furnace.....	25 00
" 6 Sale of text books.....	185 00
Mar. 10 ".....	150 00
" 11 Loan N. P. bank.....	9000 00
" 19 J. T. Frater, Treas.....	18716 36
" 31 J. T. Frater, Treas., school ap- portionment.....	2566 21
April 8 Mons Mahlum, Sec.....	190 75
" 28 Sale old iron.....	3 40
	\$34011 48

DISBURSEMENTS.	
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Repairs.....	667 64
Rentals.....	111 00
Insurance.....	519 75
Misc.....	55 75
Supplies.....	120 41
Text books.....	527 36
Furniture and fixtures.....	650 38
New buildings.....	5121 06
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Weather

Forecast—Fair and warmer.

Temperature (Record kept by Dr. J. L. Camp from 7 a. m. yesterday morning to 7 a. m. this morning)—Maximum 76 above zero; minimum 41 above zero.



The Collins tidal wave has not reached that degree of greatness most desired by Manager Martin.

If the city will enforce the cleaning of alleys to the strict letter it will have accomplished something in the way of cleanliness. And it is a matter that should be attended to at once.

SENATOR GORMAN picks Charlie Towne to lead the democrats declaring that the Parker boom reached the climax at the Albany convention. Towne manages to keep before the public in a more enviable light than his friend Bryan.

In New York city the system that insists that only unmarried women shall teach in the schools has been abandoned and in the future lady school teachers may marry without danger of losing their positions. This will possibly have a tendency to strengthen the matrimonial market.

ENTITLED TO A SECOND TERM.

Elk River Star News: Col. Foster, of Littlefield is again after Buckman's scalp and will try for the congressional nomination in this district. Nobody in particular seems to be demanding Col. Foster to become a candidate, but he evidently wants to go to congress very bad and has practically been making a campaign for the two years past. The Star News supported Col. Foster in the pri-

maries two years ago, but was greatly disappointed in his weakness in letting the nomination slip through his fingers. Furthermore Congressman Buckman has exceeded the expectations of his best friends as a congressman; has made a good record; looked after the interests of his constituency in an energetic and satisfactory manner, and in consequence is entitled to a second term. This seems to be the general sentiment throughout the district.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

C. H. Mills went to Aitkin this afternoon on business.

S. G. Stewart expects to go to Little Falls this evening.

P. J. McKeon came down from the north this morning.

E. Watson left for the twin cities this afternoon on business.

Alfred Peterson has taken a position as clerk with J. Biever.

The Elks will give a dancing party on Friday evening, May 13.

Messrs. Orne and Wright left for Aitkin this afternoon on business.

Dr. Stuart is expected home from his western trip tomorrow.

Presiding Elder Clemens came in from the east this afternoon.

Surveyor R. K. Whiteley left for Aitkin this afternoon on business.

F. W. Ford, of Motley, was in the city on business yesterday afternoon.

Miss Washburn returned this afternoon to her home at Monticello.

Andrew Hoving, of Deerwood, was in the city this afternoon on business.

Mrs. McCarvel, of Deerwood, was in the city for a brief visit this afternoon.

J. S. DeForest arrived in the city this afternoon from Milbank, S. D., for a visit.

The "Piano Quartette" will present a novel and attractive program on the evening of May 16.

Mrs. Frank Polk returned this noon from LaPorte where she has been visiting with her husband.

C. F. Anderson returned this afternoon from Wadena where he has been visiting for a short time.

Col. Potter, of Aitkin, passed through the city this afternoon en route to his home from a pleasant trip south.

James O'Keefe, of Swan River, is visiting in the city with old friends.

Miss Fines Bennett left this afternoon for Deerwood where she will teach school.

Mrs. Bush arrived from the north this noon for a visit with her daughter, Miss Genevieve Bush.

W. H. Cleary left for Aitkin this afternoon in the interest of the Brainerd Grocery company.

Peter Murphy arrived in the city this afternoon from the south for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mrs. Ratten, who has been visiting at the Stillings home for some time, left today for New York for a visit.

Mrs. R. A. Beise left this afternoon for Sauk Centre for a visit with her parents. Her mother is still very poorly.

There will be a meeting tonight of the Royal Arcanum. There will be initiation and a large attendance is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Trent and family left this afternoon for Alexandria where Mr. Trent will manage a hotel this summer.

Mrs. Chas. Peabody left this afternoon for Janesville, Minn., called there on account of the serious illness of Mr. Peabody's mother.

Robert Johnson, the popular clerk at J. F. Murphy & Co.'s, returned from St. Paul this afternoon where he has been visiting for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Griffith and Miss Griffith returned to their home in Aitkin this afternoon after a visit in the city with Mrs. Peter McGee.

Mrs. T. J. Andrews, of Bemidji, who was operated on yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph's hospital, is getting along as well as can be expected today.

Rev. Edwards, of Little Falls, will lecture under the auspices of the Swedish Methodist church tonight, at the People's church on the subject, "Open Door in Japan."

J. C. Hessel left this afternoon for Germany where he will visit for a short time. This is his first trip to his old home in thirty-five years and he will doubtless enjoy it very much.

L. H. Paine, who is employed in the Swartz drug store, has taken the examination and has passed and is now a full fledged pharmacist. Lee's many friends extend congratulations.

The ladies auxiliary of the A. O. H. will give a dancing party tomorrow night in the Elk hall. These dances are very interesting affairs and there will doubtless be a large attendance.

John Gilmer returned this morning from Elkton, S. D., where he has been for a week. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Welch and Mr. Gilmer were called there on account of the serious illness of Mr. Welch's father.

A. E. Torebio, the popular knight of the grip, was in the city this morning and meeting a young lady acquaintance he loosened to the amount of two seats for the Bachelor Maids performance, and has decided to remain over to see the show.

Bad blood and indigestion are deadly enemies to good health. Burdock Blood Bitters destroys them.

NEW HOTEL AT BEMIDJI

J. M. Markham Said to Have Decided on a Plan—Will be Modern and up-to-date Hotel

J. M. Markham, of Bemidji, formerly proprietor of the Markham hotel of that city, has about completed arrangements to build a solid brick hotel at Bemidji. It is given out that it will be an 83 room house 75x100 feet and modern in every particular.

George Allen is now conveniently located in the basement under Dunn's drug store in the First National bank block and he will be glad to see all his old friends again. First class shoe repairing and custom work on shortest notice. 284tf

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SHOOTS HIS SWEETHEART.

Cincinnati Man Then Tries to End His Own Life.

Cincinnati, May 3.—At Vine and Canal streets last night Oscar Saege shot and killed Martha Guertner and then shot himself. He is not expected to live. The couple were lovers, but had frequent quarrels and the shooting took place when Miss Guertner told Saege that she was going Thursday to New York to live.

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MEETING OF BOARD LAST NIGHT

Report of Treasurer Werner Hemstead is Received—New Bonds Are Brought Up

There was a meeting of the board of education last night at the Washington school building, and considerable business of a routine character was brought up.

The teachers' committee reported having engaged a gentleman by the name of Prof. J. H. Santee to succeed Prof. Rowe as science teacher in the city schools. He is a graduate of the University of Minnesota and is now the science teacher in the city schools of Hastings. His salary is fixed at \$80 per month.

The purchasing committee was instructed to advertise for bids for various fire apparatus and also hose and to report at the next meeting.

The reports of Supt. Hartley and the text book clerk were received and filed.

Supt. Hartley was given permission to purchase the diplomas to be used for the graduation class this year.

On motion the matter of grading the grounds of the Washington school building was left in the hands of the building committee.

The financial report of Treasurer Hemstead, given below, was approved as read:

RECEIPTS.	
Feb. 1 Bal.	\$ 7945 56
" Sale of text books	310 00
" Sale of old furnace	25 00
" 6 Sale of text books	185 00
Mar. 10	150 00
" 11 Loan N. P. bank	9000 00
" 19 J. T. Frater, Treas.	13716 36
" 31 J. T. Frater, Treas., school apportionment	2556 21
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CITY COUNCIL'S MONTHLY SESSION

Meeting Held Last Night in Chambers—Sewer Contract Was Approved by Members

ALDERMAN MCGINN TAKES SEAT

A Resume of Matters of Interest to People of the City—W. D. McKay's Petition.

A meeting of the city council was held in chambers last night with President Crust in the chair. The following aldermen took their seats: Halladay, Gardner, Purdy, Murphy, Johnson, Robertson, Larson, and McGinn.

Alderman Elect McGinn, chosen to succeed F. G. Grunhagen resigned, took his seat last night for the first time. Mr. McGinn will represent the Fifth ward on the council.

The report of the municipal court clerk for the month of April showed 7 arrests in the city cases, 2 paid fines, 1 was committed without paying fine and 4 sentences were suspended. The amount of the collections was \$200.

Dr. J. A. Thabes reported one case of diphtheria and one of scarlet fever during the month. The report was accepted and filed.

City Clerk Low's financial report for the month of April showed total receipts of \$4,608.22. The disbursement amounted \$5,227.39. The report was received and filed.

Supt. Peterson, of the electric light plant, reported 50 incandescent lights cut in during the month and 73 cut out. There were 81 open arc lights in use and 23 enclosed arc lights during the month. Mr. Peterson reported all machinery at the plant in good condition. He recommended that the national code of underwriters be used by the city. Report was accepted.

A communication was read from Chief Bennett which covered several points of importance relating to the city fire department. He called attention of the council to the depleted condition of the hose and the great need of immediate action on the matter. There is about 800 feet of the hose, according to the report of Chief Bennett, that has been in use for 18 years, and a lot of the balance is about worthless. At the fire in the Hartley block there were several bad breaks and it now becomes absolutely necessary that something be done at once. He recommended the purchase of 2,000 feet of good hose. He further

recommended the purchase of two basement nozzles. These had never been in use by the Brainerd fire department but he thought they would be a valuable acquisition to the equipment. Chief Bennett had another recommendation to make which is in line with the thought expressed by several of Brainerd's leading business men during the past few months. It was regarding the purchase of chemicals. He thought the plan of purchasing an engine at this time was not feasible but that it would be time, money and property saved of a combination hose and chemical wagon could be purchased. He stated that from his experience with and knowledge of fires in Brainerd he would be willing to wager that 8 out of every ten fires could be extinguished by a chemical without turning on the water at all. He also recommended that something be done to put a check on the promiscuous setting of bonfires throughout the city.

But one of the above recommendations above referred to were acted upon last night. The question of purchasing the hose was considered the most potent and the matter was referred to the fire committee.

The following pay rolls were on motion allowed:

City employees.....	\$313.33
Police department.....	320.00
Fire department.....	122.50
Electric light.....	365.02
Street employees.....	196.96

The fire committee, to whom was referred the matter of purchasing a fire engine, recommended that the same be not purchased at the present time. They thought it would be inadvisable to take such a step. The report was on motion received and filed.

The report of City Engineer Woolman and City Attorney Fleming on the new Lum & Koop addition to the city of Brainerd was received. The report was accepted and the plat, as surveyed, was approved by the council.

City Engineer Woolman presented profiles of the street grades on Sixth and Seventh streets. The matter was referred to the street committee on motion of Alderman McGinn.

The dog season was auspiciously opened last night when a bill from Si Hall for hauling a dead one to the dumping ground was presented. The bill was allowed.

E. T. Webster, the successful bidder for the construction of the second ward main sewer, was present last night and ready to sign his contract. The contract was read by City Clerk Low and on motion of Alderman Johnson the same was approved and Mayor Halsted was authorized to affix his signature, the same to be attested by the city clerk. The bond that goes with the contract could not be secured until the latter had been signed

up and this was the reason that Mr. Webster did not have the bond ready last night. Mayor Halsted was not present at the meeting, but the contract will be taken to him for his signature and it will then be forwarded to Mr. Webster at Green Bay, Wis. The contract calls for the completion of the work by Sept. 1.

Alderman Murphy, of the Third ward, was there last night with a series of requests longer than a fish pole. He called attention to the fact that a resolution had been passed at a meeting of the council held on April 6, ordering 800 feet of water main laid on Norwood street, east of Fifteenth street, but that the provisions of this mandate had not been complied with by the Minnesota Water Works company. The question was left in the hands of the fire committee to report at the next meeting.

The alderman from the Third ward also called attention to the fact that the water main on Oak street had been frozen for a long time. Then reports of frozen water pipes were made from different parts of the city and the matter was referred to the fire committee to ascertain how long the mains had been out of service, if possible, and report at the next meeting.

Alderman Robertson made the timely suggestion that the council secure a blanket insurance policy covering the electric light meters in the city. Many have been lost during the past month or so and he thought it was about time to do something to save them in case of fire. The matter was left in the hands of the electric light committee with power to act.

W. D. McKay was present at the meeting of the council last night and asked for permission to move the frame structure from the corner of Laurel and Seventh streets to the corner of Laurel and Eighth streets. He thought that the fire ordinance should be complied with in that the removal of this building to a corner almost by itself would lessen the fire risk, and the added fact that a modern brick block would be erected on the site of the present Angel store should be sufficient ground for granting his petition. Alderman Purdy was the first to express an opinion on the matter and he stated in very explicit language that he was opposed to granting the petition as it would simply mean that others would soon come in and ask for the same concession and, in fact, he understood that there would be a like request in a short time. It is presumed he meant the Wise building. Mr. McKay arose at this point and intimated that he was on the "inside" of this latter deal and could state for the information of the council that the Wise building would not be moved inside the fire limits but outside entirely.

This did not move Alderman Purdy and he finally made a motion that the request be not granted. Here is where the council got all muddled up in voting on this negative motion. Even Alderman Purdy and Gardner, sponsors of the motion, really voted against the motion by saying "no" when the roll was called, believing that they were voting against the proposition of granting the request. It went all down the line this way and the joke of it was that President Crust, after ascertaining that there were 6 "nos," declared the motion carried. Alderman Johnson raised the point that the decision of the chair was wrong and City Attorney Fleming was appealed to. He told the members that in voting "no" they simply voted against the motion "not" to grant the request. And then there was a smile or two and another vote was taken with the result that the motion was lost. A motion was then made that the request of Mr. McKay be granted. The motion carried.

Alderman Gardner asked that the lumber and debris which had been piled up against his building as a result of the old Wise barn being torn down, be removed. The city clerk was instructed to notify Mr. Wise to remove the same.

City Attorney Fleming was instructed again last night to have the ties and lumber removed from Laurel, Ninth and Tenth streets.

Alderman Rowley called attention to the repairs at the band stand in the park again. He stated that the railroad company did not care to have the roof on the building and so recommended that the same be taken off and that the expense of repairing the roof be applied on the stand proper in making it larger, as Director Sykora had stated that he would need more room. The matter was left in the hands of the purchasing committee with power to act.

Ed Woodbury was elected pound master for another year, his salary being fixed at \$30 per month. Someone reported the fence at the pound in a dilapidated condition and on motion of Alderman Robertson the contractor who constructed the general sewer was requested to replace it.

C. C. Briggs was present and addressed the council on his dry powder extinguisher proposition. He invited the council to be present at a test to be held on Front street on Wednesday evening and for a few moments expostulated on the merits of his powder.

City Attorney Fleming called the attention of the council to the fact that the city ordinances should be recompiled and reprinted. He stated that many of them had been repealed, some amended and new ones adopted and it was almost impossible for anyone except the city clerk to keep track of them.

The matter was left in the hands of the purchasing committee to report on at the next meeting.

The sidewalk question is an all pervading one again and the council last night took action regarding the improvements in this line this summer by authorizing City Clerk Low to advertise for bids for the construction of 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12 foot cement walks, also the cost of filling. The bids are to be opened at the next meeting. The question was discussed at considerable length last night. Alderman Robertson thought it a hardship to compel many in the outer districts to put in cement walks and wanted wooden walks put in again. Alderman Rowley thought the present plan was being worked admirably; that he had yet to hear a kick from any source. No change was made in the system already inaugurated.

The dog question received attention also. This is the time of the year when people, who think they must have the luxury of keeping a dog, will have to put up. A special committee consisting of Aldermen Rowley, McGinn and Johnson was named to devise some plan to reach the largest number of dog owners with the least possible expense and trouble.

Nothing was done last night on the telephone proposition but it is understood the committee, which was appointed at the last meeting to investigate, will present a written report at the next meeting.

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up and this was the reason that Mr. Webster did not have the bond ready last night. Mayor Halsted was not present at the meeting, but the contract will be taken to him for his signature and it will then be forwarded to Mr. Webster at Green Bay, Wis. The contract calls for the completion of the work by Sept. 1.

Alderman Murphy, of the Third ward, was there last night with a series of requests longer than a fish pole. He called attention to the fact that a resolution had been passed at a meeting of the council held on April 6, ordering 800 feet of water main laid on Norwood street, east of Fifteenth street, but that the provisions of this mandate had not been complied with by the Minnesota Water Works company. The question was left in the hands of the fire committee to report at the next meeting.

The alderman from the Third ward also called attention to the fact that the water main on Oak street had been frozen for a long time. Then reports of frozen water pipes were made from different parts of the city and the matter was referred to the fire committee to ascertain how long the mains had been out of service, if possible, and report at the next meeting.

Alderman Robertson made the timely suggestion that the council secure a blanket insurance policy covering the electric light meters in the city. Many have been lost during the past month or so and he thought it was about time to do something to save them in case of fire. The matter was left in the hands of the electric light committee with power to act.

W. D. McKay was present at the meeting of the council last night and asked for permission to move the frame structure from the corner of Laurel and Seventh streets to the corner of Laurel and Eighth streets. He thought that the fire ordinance should be complied with in that the removal of this building to a corner almost by itself would lessen the fire risk, and the added fact that a modern brick block would be erected on the sight of the present. Angel store should be sufficient ground for granting his petition. Alderman Purdy was the first to express an opinion on the matter and he stated in very explicit language that he was opposed to granting the petition as it would simply mean that others would soon come in and ask for the same concession and, in fact, he understood that there would be a like request in a short time. It is presumed he meant the Wise building. Mr. McKay arose at this point and intimated that he was on the "inside" of this latter deal and could state for the information of the council that the Wise building would not be moved inside the fire limits but outside entirely.

This did not move Alderman Purdy and he finally made a motion that the request be not granted. Here is where the council got all muddled up in voting on this negative motion. Even Alderman Purdy and Gardner, sponsors of the motion, really voted against the motion by saying "no" when the roll was called, believing that they were voting against the proposition of granting the request. It went all down the line this way and the joke of it was that President Crust, after ascertaining that there were 6 "nos," declared the motion carried. Alderman Johnson raised the point that the decision of the chair was wrong and City Attorney Fleming was appealed to. He told the members that in voting "no" they simply voted against the motion "not" to grant the request. And then there was a smile or two and another vote was taken with the result that the motion was lost. A motion was then made that the request of Mr. McKay be granted. The motion carried.

Alderman Gardner asked that the lumber and debris which had been piled up against his building as a result of the old Wise barn being torn down, be removed. The city clerk was instructed to notify Mr. Wise to remove the same.

City Attorney Fleming was instructed again last night to have the ties and lumber removed from Laurel, Ninth and Tenth streets.

Alderman Rowley called attention to the repairs at the band stand in the park again. He stated that the railroad company did not care to have the roof on the building and so recommended that the same be taken off and that the expense of repairing the roof be applied on the stand proper in making it larger, as Director Sykora had stated that he would need more room. The matter was left in the hands of the purchasing committee with power to act.

Ed Woodbury was elected pound master for another year, his salary being fixed at \$30 per month. Someone reported the fence at the pound in a dilapidated condition and on motion of Alderman Robertson the contractor who constructed the general sewer was requested to replace it.

C. C. Briggs was present and addressed the council on his dry powder extinguisher proposition. He invited the council to be present at a test to be held on Front street on Wednesday evening and for a few moments expostulated on the merits of his powder.

City Attorney Fleming called the attention of the council to the fact that the city ordinances should be recompiled and reprinted. He stated that many of them had been repealed, some amended and new ones adopted and it was almost impossible for anyone except the city clerk to keep track of them.

The matter was left in the hands of the purchasing committee to report on at the next meeting.

The sidewalk question is an all pervading one again and the council last night took action regarding the improvements in this line this summer by authorizing City Clerk Low to advertise for bids for the construction of 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12 foot cement walks, also the cost of filling. The bids are to be opened at the next meeting. The question was discussed at considerable length last night. Alderman Robertson thought it a hardship to compel many in the outer districts to put in cement walks and wanted wooden walks put in again. Alderman Rowley thought the present plan was being worked admirably; that he had yet to hear a kick from any source. No change was made in the system already inaugurated.

The dog question received attention also. This is the time of the year when people, who think they must have the luxury of keeping a dog, will have to put up. A special committee consisting of Aldermen Rowley, McGinn and Johnson was named to devise some plan to reach the largest number of dog owners with the least possible expense and trouble.

Nothing was done last night on the telephone proposition but it is understood the committee, which was appointed at the last meeting to investigate, will present a written report at the next meeting.

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CITY COUNCIL'S MONTHLY SESSION

Meeting Held Last Night in Chambers—Sewer Contract Was Approved by Members

ALDERMAN MCGINN TAKES SEAT

A Resume of Matters of Interest to People of the City—W. D. McKay's Petition.

A meeting of the city council was held in chambers last night with President Crust in the chair. The following aldermen took their seats: Halladay, Gardner, Purdy, Murphy, Johnson, Robertson, Larson, and McGinn.

Alderman Elect McGinn, chosen to succeed F. G. Grunhagen resigned, took his seat last night for the first time. Mr. McGinn will represent the Fifth ward on the council.

The report of the municipal court clerk for the month of April showed 7 arrests in the city cases, 2 paid fines, 1 was committed without paying fine and 4 sentences were suspended. The amount of the collections was \$200.

Dr. J. A. Thabes reported one case of diphtheria and one of scarlet fever during the month. The report was accepted and filed.

City Clerk Low's financial report for the month of April showed total receipts of \$4,608.22. The disbursement amounted \$5,227.39. The report was received and filed.

Supt. Peterson, of the electric light plant, reported 50 incandescent lights cut in during the month and 73 cut out. There were 81 open arc lights in use and 23 enclosed arc lights during the month. Mr. Peterson reported all machinery at the plant in good condition. He recommended that the national code of underwriters be used by the city. Report was accepted.

A communication was read from Chief Bennett which covered several points of importance relating to the city fire department. He called attention of the council to the depleted condition of the hose and the great need of immediate action on the matter. There is about 800 feet of the hose, according to the report of Chief Bennett, that has been in use for 18 years, and a lot of the balance is about worthless. At the fire in the Hartley block there were several bad breaks and it now becomes absolutely necessary that something be done at once. He recommended the purchase of 2,000 feet of good hose. He further

recommended the purchase of two basement nozzles. These had never been in use by the Brainerd fire department but he thought they would be a valuable acquisition to the equipment. Chief Bennett had another recommendation to make which is in line with the thought expressed by several of Brainerd's leading business men during the past few months. It was regarding the purchase of chemicals. He thought the plan of purchasing an engine at this time was not feasible but that it would be time, money and property saved of a combination hose and chemical wagon could be purchased. He stated that from his experience with and knowledge of fires in Brainerd he would be willing to wager that 8 out of every ten fires could be extinguished by a chemical without turning on the water at all. He also recommended that something be done to put a check on the promiscuous setting of bonfires throughout the city.

But one of the above recommendations above referred to were acted upon last night. The question of purchasing the hose was considered the most potent and the matter was referred to the fire committee.

The following pay rolls were on motion allowed:

City employees.....	\$313.33
Police department.....	320.00
Fire department.....	122.50
Electric light.....	365.02
Street employees.....	196.96

The fire committee, to whom was referred the matter of purchasing a fire engine, recommended that the same be not purchased at the present time. They thought it would be inadvisable to take such a step. The report was on motion received and filed.

The report of City Engineer Woolman and City Attorney Fleming on the new Lum & Koop addition to the city of Brainerd was received. The report was accepted and the plat, as surveyed, was approved by the council.

City Engineer Woolman presented profiles of the street grades on Sixth and Seventh streets. The matter was referred to the street committee on motion of Alderman McGinn.

The dog season was auspiciously opened last night when a bill from Si Hall for hauling a dead one to the dumping ground was presented. The bill was allowed.

E. T. Webster, the successful bidder for the construction of the second ward main sewer, was present last night and ready to sign his contract. The contract was read by City Clerk Low and on motion of Alderman Johnson the same was approved and Mayor Halsted was authorized to affix his signature, the same to be attested by the city clerk. The bond that goes with the contract could not be secured until the latter had been signed

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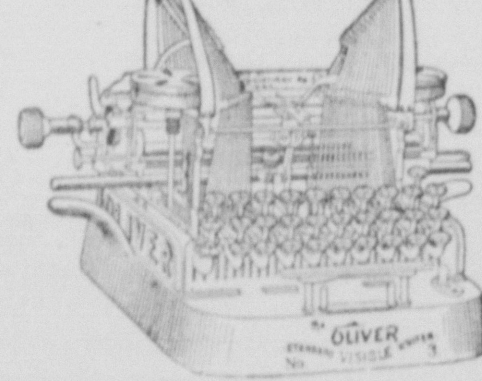
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AND LAKE CARRIERS' ASSOCIATION REPLIES BY SUSPENDING ALL TRAFFIC.

Chicago, May 3.—Absolute suspension of freight traffic on the Great Lakes between Buffalo and Chicago was decreed Monday by the Lake Carriers' association, according to the Tribune.

The action of the association is said to have been taken in reply to the demand of the seamen for increased wages. The first knowledge gained by Chicago shippers of the tieing up of lake traffic came during the day in an announcement made by the Western Transit company. The company informs its patrons that no freight would be accepted for lake transit until further notice. During the day, according to the Tribune, the following companies, which are connections of Eastern and Northern railroads, took similar action:

Anchor line, Lehigh Valley Transit company, Union Steamboat company, Canadian-Atlantic company, Rutland Transit company, Mutual Transit company.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 3.—The grain elevators at this port suspended operations Monday for an indefinite period and 200 "inside men" were thrown out of employment. The cause of the shutdown is the deadlock between the Lake Carriers' association and the Masters and Pilots' association.

IVORY CITY ILLUMINATED.

Throngs of Visitors at the World's Fair After Dark.

St. Louis, May 3.—When the first regular day of the Louisiana Purchase exposition had drawn to a close and the mantle of twilight had enshrouded the Ivory City, a flood of light suddenly burst forth from the thousands of electric bulbs that line the tops of the main buildings, and the Colonnade of States surrounding festival hall, illuminating the Plaza of St. Louis and the lagoon. Throngs of visitors began pouring into the grounds early in the evening in anticipation of the illumination features. White lights were utilized and the main portion of the grounds took on even more of a festive appearance than by daylight, which was the more enhanced by the strains of music from the band at the Northern end of the Plaza of St. Louis, and the murmur of the fountains and falling torrents that poured down the cascades into the grand basin at the southern end. The Plaza became the central point of interest.

Twilight is the signal for the closing of the main exhibit palaces for the night, and until 11 o'clock visitors enjoy the concessions, the lagoon trips on gondolas and launches and the music from the various bandstands and promenades. White lights will be used in the illumination for several nights and then 20,000 colored electric bulbs will be tested to determine what color is best adapted to producing the best illuminating effect.

ATTENDANCE AT THE FAIR.

Much Interest Manifested in That of the First Day.

St. Louis, May 3.—The official announcement of the total number of persons who attended the opening of the Louisiana Purchase exposition Saturday will not be made known until the count has been verified beyond a question of a doubt. The count was completed Monday, but until President Francis announces the total of the opening attendance it will not be made known. He stated that owing to the fact that a great interest is manifested throughout the country because of guessing contests, every precaution will be taken to avoid a mistake and the submitted total will again be verified and probably announced today.

BRIEF PERIOD OF REJOICING.

Wisconsin Woman Freed From Threat of Death Dies by Fire.

Appleton, Wis., May 3.—Mrs. William Jackson met death here under peculiar circumstances. After staying in her home two weeks, fearing that her divorced husband would kill her as he had threatened, she received word that he had died at Plymouth, Wis., of heart failure. Singing and whistling she went out into her yard, where her dress caught fire from a burning rubbish pile. She was fatally burned. Her ten-year-old brother was badly burned trying to help her, but will recover. Mrs. Jackson was twenty-six years old.

M'DONNELL IS CHOSEN.

Will Be Sergeant-at-Arms of Democratic National Convention.

Duluth, May 3.—Patrick McDonnell, a prominent contractor of this city, has received word of his appointment as sergeant-at-arms of the Democratic national convention. The appointment, which the Democratic national committee declared should come to Minnesota, was unsolicited personally by Mr. McDonnell, who has been a life-long Democrat. He said that he would accept the post.

GRIGSBY WILL RETIRE.

United States Attorney at Nome Tenders Resignation.

Washington, May 3.—Senator McCumber of North Dakota has presented to the president the resignation of Melvin Grigsby, United States attorney for the Nome district in Alaska. The resignation has been accepted to take effect July 1. No intimation is given as to Grigsby's successor.

LAKE CICOTT.
The Secret of Its Rise and Fall Is a Deep Mystery.

Lake Cicott has been an interesting phenomenon to the people of northern Indiana for many years, but the secret of its rise and fall has never been discovered. It is the only lake in Cass county and is about one mile wide and about one mile long. The water is clear and cold and perfectly fresh. Its most mysterious characteristic is the fact that it overflows its banks every seventh year. The farmers who own the land upon its banks have become so used to this that they never attempt to cultivate the land in the seventh year, but give it up without protest, as they know it is sure to be claimed by the waters.

The Pottawatomie Indians, who inhabited what is now Cass and adjoining counties, were familiar with the characteristic of the lake. They believed that the bottom was inhabited by a powerful spirit, which at intervals of seven years caused the lake to overflow. They construed this action as approval of the tribe by the spirit and watched anxiously for the time to come, for they saw in the rising waters a sure indication that they had done nothing to displease it. The early white settlers became acquainted with the legend, and the oldest inhabitant is not able to recall a time that the overflow did not take place when expected. —Toledo Blade.

GLASS MANUFACTURE.

The Art Goes Back to a Time Beyond the Knowledge of Man.

The art of glass manufacture goes back into antiquity to a time "when the mind of man runneth not to the contrary," yet we cannot penetrate the mists which hang over the infancy of what has for ages been a useful industry. Its original discovery is alleged, on the authority of several reputable writers, to have been the result of an accident in which some nitrum (supposed by some to have been salt) was fused with sand. The date of this event is not even approximately given, but is said to have taken place on the banks of the Belus, in Palestine, where some mariners had landed and were cooking their meals, using blocks of nitrum to hold their pots in position.

Sir Gardner Wilkinson gives a cut of a piece of Egyptian sculpture work which represents two glassblowers playing their art in a manner which strikes one as being surprisingly like that practiced at the present time. Sir Gardner informs us that this sculpture was executed about 3,500 years ago during the reign of Beni Hassan. Theban paintings and sculptures which are known to date back to the time of the exodus, 1400 B. C., show glass drinking vessels of delicate patterns and fine workmanship, in some instances rivaling similar vessels of modern make.

Wellington on Napoleon.

Wellington's judgments of men and history are singularly just and correct. He used few words and never fenced his meaning about with qualifications. When Lord Elmsmere mentioned a certain writer's low opinion of Napoleon the duke replied: "Napoleon was the first man of his day on a field of battle and with French troops. I confine myself to that. His policy was mere bullying, and military matters apart, he was a Jonathan Wild." —London Review.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.
Minneapolis, May 2.—Wheat—May, 91 1/4; July, 91 1/4; Sept., 89 1/2. On track—No. 1 hard, 95 1/2; No. 1 Northern, 94 1/2; No. 2 Northern, 92 1/2.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.
Duluth, May 2.—Wheat—In store and to arrive—No. 1 hard, 91 1/2; No. 1 Northern, 90 1/2; No. 2 Northern, 87 1/2; May, 90 1/2; July, 90 1/2; Sept., 88 1/2. Flax—In store, to arrive and May, \$1.05 1/2; July, \$1.07 1/2; Sept., \$1.08 1/2; Oct., \$1.08 1/2.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.
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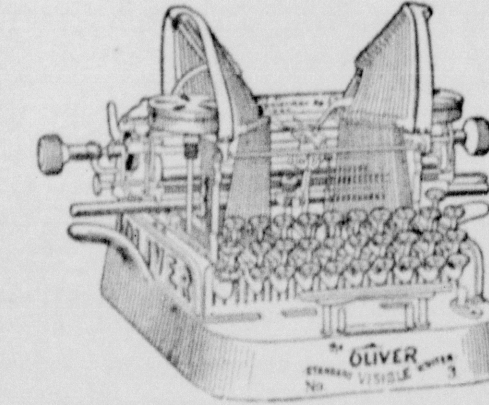
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Anchor line, Lehigh Valley Transit company, Union Steamboat company, Canadian-Atlantic company, Rutland Transit company, Mutual Transit company.

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IVORY CITY ILLUMINATED.

Throngs of Visitors at the World's Fair After Dark.

St. Louis, May 3.—When the first regular day of the Louisiana Purchase exposition had drawn to a close and the mantle of twilight had enshrouded the Ivory City, a flood of light suddenly burst forth from the thousands of electric bulbs that line the tops of the main buildings, and the Colonnade of States surrounding festival hall, illuminating the Plaza of St. Louis and the lagoon. Throngs of visitors began pouring into the grounds early in the evening. White lights were utilized and the main portion of the grounds took on even more of a festive appearance than by daylight, which was the more enhanced by the strains of music from the band at the Northern end of the Plaza of St. Louis, and the murmur of the fountains and falling torrents that poured down the cascades into the grand basin at the southern end. The Plaza became the central point of interest.

Twilight is the signal for the closing of the main exhibit palaces for the night, and until 11 o'clock visitors enjoy the concessions, the lagoon trips on gondolas and launches and the music from the various bandstands and promenades. White lights will be used in the illumination for several nights and then 20,000 colored electric bulbs will be tested to determine what color is best adapted to producing the best illuminating effect.

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BRIEF PERIOD OF REJOICING.

Wisconsin Woman Freed From Threat of Death Dies by Fire.

Appleton, Wis., May 3.—Mrs. William Jackson met death here under peculiar circumstances. After staying in her home two weeks, fearing that her divorced husband would kill her as he had threatened, she received word that he had died at Plymouth, Wis., of heart failure. Singing and whistling she went out into her yard, where her dress caught fire from a burning rubbish pile. She was fatally burned. Her ten-year-old brother was badly burned trying to help her, but will recover. Mrs. Jackson was twenty-six years old.

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Washington, May 3.—Senator McCumber of North Dakota has presented to the president the resignation of Melvin Grigsby, United States attorney for the Nome district in Alaska. The resignation has been accepted to take effect July 1. No intimation is given as to Grigsby's successor.

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The Pottawatomie Indians, who inhabited what is now Cass and adjoining counties, were familiar with the characteristic of the lake. They believed that the bottom was inhabited by a powerful spirit, which at intervals of seven years caused the lake to overflow. They construed this action as approval of the tribe by the spirit and watched anxiously for the time to come, for they saw in the rising waters a sure indication that they had done nothing to displease it. The early white settlers became acquainted with the legend, and the oldest inhabitant is not able to recall a time that the overflow did not take place when expected. —Toledo Blade.

GLASS MANUFACTURE.

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The art of glass manufacture goes back into antiquity to a time "when the mind of man runneth not to the contrary," yet we cannot penetrate the mists which hang over the infancy of what has for ages been a useful industry. Its original discovery is alleged, on the authority of several reputable writers, to have been the result of an accident in which some nitrum (supposed by some to have been salt) was fused with sand. The date of this event is not even approximately given, but is said to have taken place on the banks of the Belus, in Palestine, where some mariners had landed and were cooking their meals, using blocks of nitrum to hold their pots in position.

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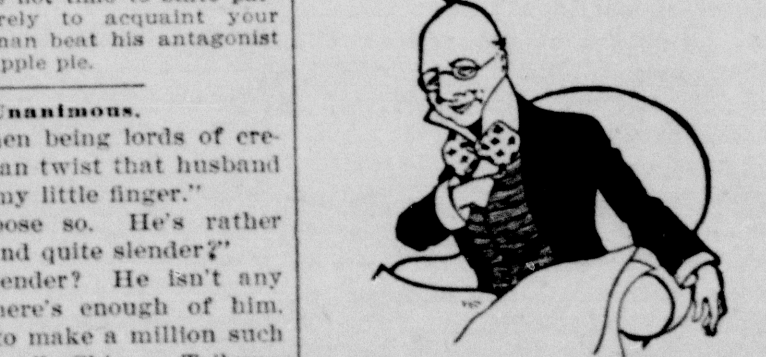
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